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NOTIFICATIONS.

FORT ST. GEORGE, MARCH 30, 1925.

No. 121.—His Excellency the Governor in Council accepts the resignation by the Hon'ble Sir ARTHUR KNAPP, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., C.B.E., of his office of Member of the Executive Council with effect from the afternoon of the 30th March 1925.

2. During a service extending over more than 33 years the Hon'ble Sir Arthur Knapp has filled many of the highest and most important appointments in this Presidency with distinguished ability and conspicuous success and was selected on many occasions for the discharge of difficult special duties involving grave responsibilities. His services as Reforms Commissioner, as Special Commissioner for Malabar in connexion with the Mappilla Rebellion, and as Member of Council have been especially valuable. Apart from his official duties he devoted much of his time and energies to the support of philanthropic and [illegible] institutions. His Excellency the Governor in Council desires to place on record his regret at the Hon'ble Sir Arthur Knapp's retirement and his appreciation of the zeal and ability with which Sir Arthur Knapp devoted himself to the discharge of his duties.

3. All distinctions and honours which were paid to Sir Arthur Knapp when in office as a Member of the Executive Council will be continued to him during his stay in the Presidency.

No. 122.—His Majesty the KING, Emperor of India, having been graciously pleased, under the provisions of sub-section (1) of section 47 of the Government of India Act, to appoint Khan Bahadur MUHAMMAD USMAN SAHIB Bahadur to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Governor of Madras in succession to Sir Arthur Knapp, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., C.B.E., I.C.S., resigned.

Khan Bahadur Muhammad Usman Sahib Bahadur has, on the afternoon of this day, the 30th March 1925, taken upon himself the execution of his office.

(By order of His Excellency the Governor in Council)

A. Y. G. CAMPBELL,
Officiating Chief Secretary.

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